ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OF FREMONT

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1913

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE TOWN OF

FREMONT, N. H.

OF THE

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, HIGHWAY AGENTS,
AUDITOR, TOWN CLERK, LIBRARIAN

AND

BOARD OF EDUCATION

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1913

THE RUMFORD PRESS
CONCORD, N. H.
1913

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator.

ANDREW J. BROWN.

Clerk.

HENRY A. COOK.

Selectmen.

EUGENE D. SANBORN. STEPHEN G. SLEEPER.
ERNEST S. BEEDE.

Treasurer.

WILLIAM H. GIBSON.

Auditor.

STEPHEN A. FROST.

Highway Agents.

GEORGE F. WILLEY. CHARLES W. HESELTON.

Library Trustees.

HENRY A. COOK. CHARLES B. FRENCH.
CLARENCE B. HILL.

Collector of Taxes.

JOSEPH B. WILBUR.

Board of Education.

JOSEPH B. SANBORN. ALDEN F. SANBORN.
JAMES E. TAYLOR.

School Clerk.
LENA E. TRUE.

Truant Officer.
SAMUEL J. WILLEY.

Supervisors.
CLIFTON H. BEEDE. CLARENCE B. HILL.
FRED SANBORN.

Board of Health.
HARRISON B. ELLIS. JOSEPH B. SANBORN.
ERNEST W. LOWE, M.D.

Librarian.
CORA B. FROST.

Dog Officer.
PETER J. GAGNON.

Constable.
GEORGE W. BALL.

Forest Fire Warden.
HARRY S. TRUE.

Janitor Town Hall.
HENRY A. COOK.

Delegate to Constitutional Convention.
JOSEPH B. SANBORN.

Representative to General Court.
ARTHUR R. WHITTIER.

TOWN WARRANT.

[L. S.] STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Fremont, in the County of Rockingham, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house, in said town, on Tuesday, the 11th day of March next, at ten (10) of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a town clerk.

2. To choose three selectmen, treasurer, auditor, one or more highway agents, and one library trustee.

3. To choose all other necessary officers.

4. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the following purposes: To defray town charges, for repairs of highways and bridges, and for Memorial Day.

5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for care of cemeteries in town.

6. To see what action the town will take in regard to paying the note held by the Manchester Savings Bank, and raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary for said purpose.

7. To see what action the town will take in regard to repairing the sides and roof of the new town hall, and raise and appropriate such sum of money as may be necessary for said purpose.

8. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of February in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirteen.

EUGENE D. SANBORN,
STEPHEN G. SLEEPER,
ERNEST S. BEEDE,
Selectmen of Fremont.

A true copy of warrant. Attest:

EUGENE D. SANBORN,
STEPHEN G. SLEEPER,
ERNEST S. BEEDE,
Selectmen of Fremont.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

VALUATIONS AND APPROPRIATIONS.

Valuations.

Polls, 159,	$15,900.00
Land and buildings,	328,187.00
Mules, 1,	200.00
Horses, 108,	11,035.00
Oxen, 4,	380.00
Cows, 120,	4,595.00
Neat stock, 17,	386.00
Sheep, 24,	96.00
Fowl,	25.00
Carriages and automobiles, 24,	10,000.00
Wood and lumber,	6,100.00
Stock in public funds,	20,500.00
Money,	8,884.00
Stock in trade,	29,275.00
Mills, machinery, etc.,	20,200.00
	$455,763.00

Appropriations.

State tax,	$848.00
County tax,	766.52
Highway,	1,500.00
Town charges,	500.00
Memorial Day,	50.00
Schools by law,	795.00
Schools by vote (extra),	400.00
High school tuition,	500.00
Salaries of school officers,	53.00
Public library,	31.80
Universalist fund,	60.00

Care, cemeteries,	$25.00
Sewer,	150.00
Overlay,	17.96
	$5,697.28

Rate of taxation, $1.25 on $100.

EXPENDITURES.

Miscellaneous,	$634.85
Highways,	2,794.01
Bridges,	3,043.93
Schools,	2,280.66
Town officers,	492.83
Board of health,	20.00
Poor,	150.68
Care cemeteries,	21.00
Discounts,	119.79
Abatements,	8.51
Material for sewer,	111.84
	$9,678.10

EXPENDITURES IN DETAIL.

The selectmen have given orders on the treasurer for the payment of the following bills:

MISCELLANEOUS.

1912.			
March	16.	Paid Rumford Printing Co., printing reports,	$35.10
		Arthur E. True, labor on voting booths,	10.00
April	6.	E. D. Sanborn, labor on voting booths,	3.00
		C. E. Beede, postage on inventory blanks,	2.88
		American Express Co., express on reports,	.80
		John Templeton, printing,	4.24
	15.	John W. A. Green, copying transfers,	1.00
May	7.	Joseph B. Sanborn, check lists,	1.08
	18.	B. & M. R. R. Co., freight on jail cells,	18.36
		E. D. Sanborn, cartage, jail cells,	3.00
		Edson C. Eastman, collector's order and receipt books,	4.42
	30.	Stephen A. Frost, memorial fund,	50.00
June	10.	James Towle, iron and bolts for voting booths,	1.25
		James Towle, pair shafts (Hill),	2.90
	24.	Pauby Jail Co., jail cells,	178.64
July	19.	Cook & True, supplies for hall,	3.55
	20.	Arthur S. Moore, patching old church,	1.50

July	30.	Ernest S. Beede, labor, setting jail cells,	$8.00
		E. D. Sanborn, labor, setting jail cells,	7.00
		Spaulding & Frost Co., labor, setting jail cells, and lumber,	10.67
		Henry A. Cook, Universalist fund,	60.00
Aug.	24.	C. R. Fellows estate, plank,	20.98
Sept.	3.	Peter J. Gagnon, sawing wood for hall,	2.50
	21.	Charles Clouette, damage by dogs,	3.00
		N. H. Fire Insurance Co., insurance on school houses,	26.00
Oct.	5.	Granite State Fire Insurance Co., insurance on library,	18.25
	8.	Edson C. Eastman, receipt books for road agents, and warrants,	2.35
	9.	James Towle, repairing road machine and drills,	8.20
		Spaulding & Frost Co., wood for hall,	22.50
		Spaulding & Frost Co., tungsten light,	.65
		Spaulding & Frost Co., cement and drilling pipe,	.50
Nov.	9.	George W. Burley, painting railings.	4.50
		Sargent Bros., printing bills, sale old bridges,	.50
	23.	Daniel J. Smith, showing real estate,	6.00
1913.			
Feb.	8.	Town of Brentwood, use of roller,	10.00
		Cook & True, paint for railings,	10.66
	15.	Ernest W. Lowe, M.D., returning births and deaths,	5.00

Feb.	15	Stephen G. Sleeper, use of horse,	$26.00
		Ernest S. Beede, use of horse,	4.50
		E. D. Sanborn, use of horse,	20.75
		E. D. Sanborn, index book,	.25
		E. D. Sanborn, envelopes (stamped), send moth notices,	1.09
		E. D. Sanborn, express on moth notice blanks,	.25
		E. D. Sanborn, writing moth notices,	2.00
		E. D. Sanborn postage and stationary,	3.50
		Henry A. Cook, recording births, deaths and marriages,	4.50
		Henry A. Cook, postage,	.75
		Henry A. Cook, glass for hall and setting,	1.78
		Samuel B. Gibson, painting sign boards,	3.50
		Sylvester J. McLane, repairing sign boards,	1.00
		George W. Ball, 8 trips with hearse,	16.00
			$634.85

HIGHWAYS.

Amount appropriated by town,			$1,200.00
1912.			
April	6.	Paid George F. Willey, agent,	$50.00
	12.	George F. Willey, agent,	75.00
	20.	Goerge F. Willey, agent,	75.00
	27.	George F. Willey, agent,	50.00
May	10.	George F. Willey, agent,	75.00
	18.	George F. Willey, agent,	50.00
July	25.	George F. Willey, agent,	50.00
Aug.	24.	George F. Willey, agent,	30.00
Sept.	3.	George F. Willey, agent,	25.00

1913.

Jan.	17.		George F. Willey, agent,	$25.00
Feb.	15.		George F. Willey, agent,	44.27
				$549.27

This includes the $99.47 expended on the Woodman bridge so called.

1912.

Nov.	23.	Paid	George F. Willey, agent, rebuilding Gowing culvert,	$36.00
Dec.	16.		George F. Willey, agent, rebuilding Trickey and Clouette culvert,	50.00
				$86.00
April	12.	Paid	Charles W. Heselton, agent,	$100.00
	26.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	135.00
June	29.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	40.00
Aug.	31.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	60.00
Sept.	21.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	25.00
Nov.	29.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	85.00
Dec.	19.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	40.35
Dec.	25.		Charles W. Heselton, agent,	16.27
				$501.62

This includes $30 expended on bog bridge road and Bean culvert on account of damage done by heavy traffic in early spring.

Aug.	8.	Paid	Stephen G. Sleeper, labor,	$1.50

STATE HIGHWAY.

Total joint fund, 1911 and 1912,			$1,386.60
Paid by state to town,			$455.33
1912.			
June	8.	Paid George F. Willey, in charge of work,	$50.00
	15.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	100.00
	22.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	125.00
	29.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	157.97
Sept.	21.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	50.00
	28.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	100.00
Oct.	5.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	50.50
June	24.	North East Metal Culvert Co., culvert,	38.50
Oct.	19.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	115.00
	26.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	75.00
Nov.	2.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	115.00
	9.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	130.00
	16.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	95.00
	23.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	79.50
Dec.	2.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	54.00
			$1,335.47

STATE MAINTENANCE FUND.

Appropriated by town,	$300.00
Paid by state to town,	25.00
	$325.00

1912.			
June	1.	Paid George F. Willey, in charge of work,	$150.00
	8.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	44.90
Oct.	5.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	31.50
	14.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	71.25
Dec.	14.	George F. Willey, in charge of work,	22.50
			$320.15
There is due from state,			$12.50

BRIDGES.

Woodman Bridge.

June	10.	Paid James Towle, irons for railing,	$10.80
Aug.	24.	C. R. Fellows estate, plank,	131.74
Sept.	21.	Phineas Beede, timbers,	74.00
			$216.54

Rox and Clough Bridges.

1912.			
Aug.	24.	Paid B. & M. R. R. Co., freight on plank,	$21.40
Sept.	21.	George F. Willey, labor, grading,	22.50
		Charles Willey, labor, grading,	7.50
		William P. Stevenson, labor, grading,	7.50

Sept. 21.	W. S. Gowing, labor, grading,	$6.00
	F. H. Lyford, labor, grading,	2.25
	Milton Mills, labor, grading,	1.50
	E. D. Sanborn, labor, grading,	27.00
	Gertrude Fellows, plank for Clough bridge,	65.40
	P. S. Huckins Co., plank for Rox bridge,	181.77
	C. W. Heselton, drawing plank,	6.50
Oct. 9.	Louis Gardner, pipe, fittings and labor on railings,	53.07
	E. D. Sanborn, labor on railings,	10.00
	United Construction Co., and engineer, two bridges,	2,415.00
		$2,827.39

SCHOOLS.

1912.		
Dec. 30.	Paid William H. Gibson, school treasurer, money required by law,	$795.00
	By vote of town (extra),	400.00
	High school tuition,	500.00
	Literary fund, 1911,	87.12
	Dog license, money due April 1, 1912,	83.16
	State fund, 1912,	280.10
	Salaries of school officers,	53.00
	Literary fund, 1912,	82.28
		$2,280.66

TOWN OFFICERS.

1912.			
April 22.	Paid	Charles Burton French, janitor, hall, April 1,	$15.00
May 7.		Ernest S. Beede, selectman, 14 days appraising real estate,	28.00
		Stephen G. Sleeper, selectman, 12 days appraising real estate,	24.00
		Eugene D. Sanborn, selectman, 13 days appraising real estate,	26.00
July 12.		Ernest S. Beede, selectman, services in part,	15.00
1913.			
Feb. 15.		William H. Mould, ballot clerk,	4.00
		James B. Martin, ballot clerk,	2.00
		William H. Gibson, ballot clerk,	4.00
		William H. Gibson, town treasurer,	30.00
		Joseph B. Sanborn, supervisor,	15.00
		Joseph B. Sanborn, supervisor, making two copies of check list for state library and N. H. Historical Society,	2.00
		George H. French, supervisor,	15.00
		George W. Emerson, supervisor,	15.00
		George W. Emerson, supervisor, assisting in making copies for state library and N. H. Historical Society,	.50
		John H. Ellis, selectman, to March 12,	3.00
		Joseph B. Wilbur, collector of taxes,	55.00
		Stephen G. Sleeper, selectman,	27.00
		Ernest S. Beede, selectman, balance,	12.00
		Peter J. Gagnon, dog officer,	10.00

Feb. 15.	Paid	Peter J. Gagnon, services at guard rail,	$4.00
		Stephen G. Sleeper, ballot clerk,	4.00
		Eugene D. Sanborn, selectman,	64.33
		Stephen A. Frost, auditor,	2.00
		Cora B. Frost, librarian,	26.00
		Henry A. Cook, town clerk,	15.00
		Henry A. Cook, janitor of hall, 61 nights,	61.00
		Alden F. Sanborn, moderator, March, 1912,	3.00
		Alden F. Sanborn, moderator, primary,	3.00
		Alden F. Sanborn, moderator, November election,	3.00
		George W. Ball, constable and police,	5.00
			$492.83

BOARD OF HEALTH.

1913.			
Feb. 15.	Paid	Joseph B. Sanborn, services,	$5.00
		Ernest W. Lowe, M. D., services,	10.00
		Ernest W. Lowe, M. D., 1 fumigation,	5.00
			$20.00

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Aid furnished by town, Huldah Sanborn.

1912.			
March 16.	Paid	Olive A. Smith, care and board,	$16.00
April 6.		Olive A. Smith, care and board,	16.00
June 24.		Eugene F. Woodman, digging grave,	3.00

June 24.	Eugene D. Sanborn, time and expenses,	$16.50
	Olive A. Smith, care and board,	26.00
		$77.50

Aid furnished by County, Susan B. Jones.

Paid 46 weeks at $1.00,	$46.00

Aid furnished by County, James Witham.

Paid Cook & True, groceries,	$20.18
A. C. Buswell, M. D., medical attendance,	7.00
	$27.18

CARE OF CEMETERIES.

1912.		
May 25.	Paid Ernest S. Beede, labor	$7.00
	James E. Taylor, labor,	2.25
	Eugene F. Woodman, labor,	.25
	Carl Beede, labor,	3.00
July 20.	Samuel J. Willey, labor,	3.00
Aug. 8.	Stephen G. Sleeper, labor,	4.00
1913.		
Feb. 15.	Joseph L. Small, labor,	1.50
		$21.00

DISCOUNTS.

1913.		
Feb. 15.	Paid Joseph B. Wilbur, collector of taxes, 3 per cent. discount on taxes paid before July 1,	$119.79

ABATEMENTS.

	Paid Joseph B. Wilbur, collector:	
	George Fortier, left town,	$1.25
	Frank M. York, left town,	3.63
	John C. McIntire (by his request),	3.63
		$8.51

MATERIAL FOR SEWER.

1912.			
Dec.	14.	Paid Manchester Supply Co., tiling, cement, and grates,	$97.68
		George F. Willey, carting same,	4.00
		B. & M. R. R. Co., freight,	10.16
			$111.84

EUGENE D. SANBORN,
STEPHEN G. SLEEPER,
ERNEST S. BEEDE,
Selectmen of Fremont.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Treasurer's report for the year 1912 ending February 15, 1913:

February 15, 1912. Cash in hands of treasurer,	$843.67
Received of J. B. Wilbur, collector, 1911,	57.80
J. B. Wilbur, collector, 1912,	5,697.28
H. A. Cook, janitor of hall,	140.50
H. A. Cook, town clerk, dog licenses,	100.20
H. A. Cook, pool table,	20.00
H. A. Cook, fees for candidates,	7.00
S. A. Carter, state treasurer, highway money,	480.33
S. A. Carter, state treasurer, railroad tax,	437.94
S. A. Carter, state treasurer, savings bank tax,	832.03
S. A. Carter, state treasurer, school fund,	280.10
S. A. Carter, state treasurer, literary fund,	82.28
Manchester Savings Bank,	2,700.00
Selectmen, old bridge plank,	13.00
W. H. Clark, administrator of estate of Huldah T. Sanborn,	98.00
County of Rockingham,	73.18
George W. Ball, use of hearse out of town,	2.00
Selectmen, old plank and tiling,	1.10
	$11,866.41

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid selectmen's orders,	$9,678.10	
County tax,	768.41	
State tax,	848.00	
		$11,294.51
Cash in hands of treasurer,		$571.90

RESOURCES.

Due from state,		12.50
		$584.40

LIABILITIES.

Due Manchester Savings Bank,	$2,700.00	
Balance against town,		$2,115.60

WILLIAM H. GIBSON,
Treasurer.

REPORTS OF HIGHWAY AGENTS.

GEORGE F. WILLEY, AGENT.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,		$449.80

Expenditures.

Paid	George F. Willey, labor,	$149.30	
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	54.00	
	George W. Burley, labor,	32.25	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	31.50	
	David Marden, labor,	12.75	
	George F. Beede, labor,	51.25	
	Sylvester J. McLane, labor.	3.00	
	Walter H. Lyford, labor,	7.50	
	Eugene D. Sanborn, labor,	4.00	
	David P. Leavitt, labor,	4.00	
	Charles W. Heselton, labor,	2.00	
	Charles Towle, labor,	2.75	
	Samuel J. Willey, labor,	7.25	
	Phineas Beede, labor,	1.50	
	William P. Stevenson, labor,	34.50	
	Charles Willey, labor,	44.25	
	George F. Beede, gravel,	5.00	
	J. Frank Brown, powder and fuse,	3.00	
			$449.80

Gowing's Culvert.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,		$36.00

Expenditures.

Paid	William P. Stevenson, labor,	$4.50	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	4.50	

Paid	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	$4.50	
	George W. Burley, labor,	4.50	
	George F. Willey, labor,	6.00	
	Charles Willey, labor,	12.00	
			$36.00

Trickey and Clouette Culvert.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,		$50.00

Expenditures.

Paid	William P. Stevenson, labor,	$9.00	
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	7.50	
	George W. Burley, labor,	7.50	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	6.00	
	George F. Willey, labor,	8.00	
	Charles Willey, labor,	12.00	
			$50.00

Woodman Culvert.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,		$99.47

Expenditures.

Paid	George F. Willey, labor,	$23.50	
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	12.00	
	George W. Burley, labor,	12.00	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	9.00	
	David Marden, labor,	12.00	
	George F. Beede, labor,	12.00	
	Walter H. Lyford, labor,	9.25	
	Charles Willey, labor,	4.50	
	J. Frank Brown, spikes,	4.30	
	C. B. Hill, spikes,	.92	
			$99.47

CHARLES W. HESELTON, AGENT.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,	$501.62

Expenditures.

Paid	Frank E. Fuller,	$19.25
	Arthur S. Moore,	52.02
	George F. Willey,	15.50
	Walter E. Clement,	6.00
	Herbert F. Fuller,	11.25
	Frank H. Lyford,	9.00
	Russell Copp,	3.00
	Sylvester J. McLane,	10.50
	George W. Burley,	7.50
	William P. Stevenson,	9.00
	George G. Norcross,	9.45
	George G. Brown,	5.75
	Eugene F. Woodman,	25.20
	Eugene D. Sanborn,	34.50
	Charles D. Meader,	43.95
	Jessie L. Drownes,	35.20
	Howard French,	9.90
	Fred Sanborn,	8.00
	Fred D. Holmes,	.75
	Arthur R. Whittier,	.25
	Charles W. Heselton,	168.05
	Harrison B. Ellis, gravel,	.65
	Spaulding & Frost Co., gravel,	3.15
	Russell K. Hooke, gravel,	1.55
	Andrew J. Brown, gravel,	7.00
	W. J. Dodge, shovels,	3.50
	W. H. Bailey, shovels,	1.75
		$501.62

STATE HIGHWAY, 1911.

GEORGE F. WILLEY, FOREMAN.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,	$633.47

Expenditures.

Paid	George F. Beede, labor,	$61.00
	Charles W. Heselton, labor,	96.00
	George W. Burley, labor,	43.50
	Sylvester J. McLane, labor,	48.00
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	25.50
	Charles D. Meader, labor,	21.00
	William P. Stevenson, labor,	39.00
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	12.00
	George F. Willey, labor,	134.86
	David Marden, labor,	16.50
	Mitchel Gagnon, labor,	36.00
	Eugene F. Woodman, labor,	27.00
	Arthur S. Moore, labor,	4.50
	Peter J. Gagnon, labor,	30.37
	Peter J. Gagnon, blacksmith work,	4.95
	Charles Willey, labor,	19.50
	J. Frank Brown, tiling, powder and fuse,	10.15
	Spaulding & Frost Co., cement,	3.00
	B. & M. R. R., freight on culvert,	.64
		$633.47

STATE HIGHWAY, 1912.

GEORGE F. WILLEY, FOREMAN.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,	$663.50

Expenditures.

Paid	George F. Willey, labor,	$52.00	
	Charles Willey, labor,	126.00	
	George W. Burley, labor,	39.75	
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	38.25	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	35.25	
	William P. Stevenson, labor,	39.75	
	Russell Copp, labor,	33.75	
	Charles W. Heselton, labor,	114.75	
	Eugene D. Sanborn, labor,	117.00	
	Sylvester J. McLane, labor,	21.00	
	Frank H. Wood, gravel,	25.00	
	Lizzie Fellows, gravel,	10.00	
	Daniel J. Smith, gravel,	10.00	
	Frank D. Rowe,	1.00	
			$663.50

STATE AID MAINTENANCE FUND.

GEORGE F. WILLEY, FOREMAN.

Receipts.

Received of town treasurer,		$320.15

Expenditures.

Paid	George F. Beede, labor,	$47.00	
	Charles W. Heselton, labor,	61.20	
	Charles D. Meader, labor,	16.50	
	David Marden, labor,	14.25	
	George W. Burley, labor,	26.25	
	Percey Proctor, labor,	1.90	
	George F. Willey, labor,	46.30	
	William P. Stevenson, labor	19.00	
	Walter H. Lyford, labor,	7.50	
	Frank H. Lyford, labor,	18.75	
	Frank E. Fuller, labor,	8.25	
	Wesley S. Gowing, labor,	3.00	
	Peter J. Gagnon, labor,	.75	
	Charles Willey, labor,	27.50	
	Sylvester J. McLane, labor,	14.25	
	Daniel J. Smith, labor,	1.50	
	James Towle, blacksmith work,	6.25	
			$320.15

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

LICENSED DOGS.

FREMONT, N. H., February, 1913.

For the year 1912 I have licensed dogs as follows:

Male dogs licensed, 45 at $2,	$90.00	
Female dogs licensed, 4 at $5,	20.00	
Total, 49,		$110.00
Reserved for fees, 49 at 20c.,		9.80
Paid to treasurer,		$100.20

HENRY A. COOK,
Town Clerk.

POOL TABLE LICENSES.

By order of the selectmen I have licensed pool tables as follows:

To Eli J. Gagnon I have licensed two (2) pool tables from May 1, 1912, to the first day of May, 1913.

Received license fees, $10 each,	$20.00
Paid to treasurer,	$20.00

HENRY A. COOK,
Town Clerk

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN.

Whole number of books in the library,	1,579
Whole number of cards issued,	595
Issued during year,	19
Circulation during year,	1,515
Running expenses,	$1.30
Received for fines,	3.66
Received of Mrs. A. French, for use of book,	1.00
Cash on hand,	3.36
Paid same to treasurer,	

CORA B. FROST,
Librarian.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer, town clerk, road agents and board of education of the Town of Fremont for the year ending February 15, 1913. I am satisfied that they are correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

S. A. FROST,
Auditor.

SCHOOL WARRANT.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Fremont Qualified to Vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said district on the fifteenth day of March, 1913, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

ARTICLE 1. To choose a moderator for the ensuing year.

ART. 2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

ART. 3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

ART. 4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

ART. 5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the support of schools, for school books and supplies, for high school tuitions, and for salaries of school officers, for the ensuing year.

ART. 6. To transact any other necessary business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Fremont this twenty-fifth day of February, 1913.

JOSEPH B. SANBORN,
ALDEN F. SANBORN,
JAMES E. TAYLOR,
School Board.

A true copy. Attest:

JOSEPH B. SANBORN,
ALDEN F. SANBORN,
JAMES E. TAYLOR,
School Board.

SCHOOL REPORT.

The schools in Fremont have made satisfactory progress the past year. Thanks to state aid and more liberal appropriations, the school year has been very materially lengthened over previous years, so that we now have as much schooling as the average small town throughout the state, and on the whole we believe their standard will compare favorably with most towns.

The number of scholars registered for the year is 108, with an average attendance of 90. It is the bounden duty of all parents to keep their children in school as much as possible; none should be allowed to miss a single day unless absolutely necessary. These are golden days in their lives, many of us look back with regret upon misspent opportunities of our school days. Let none of the youth of today have cause, in future years, to look with sorrow upon their early lives. The future welfare of the country depends upon the education of the children.

ESTIMATES FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Money required by law,	$795.00
Money required for high school tuitions,	400.00
Money required for extra schooling, books, etc.	500.00
Money required for salaries	53.00

By law in order to obtain state aid the tax for school purposes must be $4.50 on a thousand dollars of *equalized valuation,* which would require our district to raise at least $1,692. This amount with what we shall probably receive from the state should give us about thirty-five weeks schooling for the year, which is desirable.

All the schoolhouses are in fairly good condition, except some minor repairs needed such as whitening the walls and repairing blackboards, etc. The seats in the village primary school are so high that many of the children cannot touch the floor with their feet; this must be remedied in some way. We have a good supply of books on hand, nearly enough for next year, and some of the schools need a supply of maps, charts, etc. A workman, however skilled, cannot do good work without the necessary tools, so our teachers should be supplied with all up-to-date implements of labor, to accomplish good results, and our school rooms, the children's workshop, should be made as comfortable as possible.

Two of our teachers, Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Philbrick, have secured state certificates as qualified teachers. This entitles them to $2 per week from the state; one half of this has been given them to increase their salaries, and the balance to lengthen their schools. We wish it were possible to secure more qualified teachers.

It certainly would seem advisable for all prospective teachers to either take a course in some training school, or pass the necessary examination to become qualified teachers. This would not only enable them to command better pay, but our schools would profit by more competent teachers.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Pupils not absent during the year: Myrtle M. Clement, Harry G. Marcotte, Harold J. Clement, Albine A. Marcotte, Norine M. Clement, Donald C. Beede, Simeon F. Gardner, Sylvester A. Sanborn, Nelson W. Beede.

Pupils not absent for two terms: Ralph Holmes, Lela M. Clement, Beatrice N. Gardner, Eva J. Proctor, Dorris N. Proctor, George M. Proctor, Alma LaVoise, Harry Beaulieu, William Howard, Hattie E. Norcross, Elvira L. Benfield, Frances A. Benfield, Harold G. Ball, George N. Gardner, Arthur B. Robinson, Lillian M. Gardner, Barbara

Gardner, Daisy P. Hall, Dorothy C. True, Clara B. Robinson.

Not absent for one term: Maurice Metevier, Bernice Metevier, Kenneth S. Rowe, Marion Porter, Etta Porter, Curtice S. Sanborn, James I. LeClair, Harry S. St. John, Ame Dube, Rutledge G. Frost, Carol F. Heselton, Dianna Dube, Evelyn M. Taylor, Vivian W. Taylor, Alma Hart, Gladys E. Willey, Rosanna Currier, Alice Currier, Marian E. Towle, Charles P. Corsan, Albert G. Sanborn.

STATISTICAL TABLE OF SCHOOL.

Teachers.	Salary per week.	No. of weeks in each term.	Average attendance.	No. of pupils.	Visitors.
South School.					
Lena M. Morse	$8.50	13	12.11+	15	32
Lena M. Morse	8.50	12	11.00	20	11
Lena M. Morse	8.50	8	12.00	14	11
Village Intermediate.					
Pauline B. Ellis	12.00	13	23.24+	25	50
Pauline B. Ellis	12.00	12	25+	28	22
Pauline B. Ellis	12.00	11	22.38	23	43
Primary Village.					
Lois Patterson	8.50	13	24.70+	29	52
Grace S. Philbrick	9.00	11	23.56	27	32
Grace S. Philbrick	10.00	10	22.60	24	50
North School.					
Clara A. Towle	8.50	13	14.00	15	39
Abbie G. Currier	8.50	12	11.13	16	14
Abbie G. Currier	8.50	8	11.21	12	17
East School.					
Lizzie Franc Fellows	7.50	12	10.01	11	7
Lizzie Franc Fellows	7.50	12	9.82	11	35
Lizzie Franc Fellows	7.50	8	9.36	13	10

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

We have given orders on the treasurer for the payment of the following bills:

Paid for Teaching.

South School.		
Paid Lena M. Morse, 33 weeks at $8.50		$280.50
Village Primary School.		
Paid Lois Patterson, 13 weeks at $8.50,	$110.50	
Grace S. Philbrick, 11 weeks at $9.00	99.00	
Grace S. Philbrick, 10 weeks at $10.00,	100.00	
		$309.50
Intermediate School.		
Paid Pauline B. Ellis, 36 weeks at $12.00,		432.00
North School.		
Paid Clara A. Towle, 13 weeks at $8.50	$110.00	
Abbie G. Currier, 20 weeks at $8.50,	170.00	
		280.50
East School.		
Paid Lizzie Franc Fellows, 32 weeks at $7.50,		240.00
Total paid for teaching,		$1,542.50

Sundry Expenses.

Paid Etta Porter, cleaning schoolrooms,	$12.00
J. B. Sanborn, flag and rope,	1.36
D. E. Hallinan, kindlings,	7.75
Eli Marcotte, kindlings,	1.00

Paid Walter M. Lyford, wood and use of punch,		$8.25
A. F. Sanborn, wood,	$37.50	
A. F. Sanborn, repairing stovepipe and new damper,	.75	
A. F. Sanborn, glass and use of telephone,	.75	
A. F. Sanborn, cash paid Mrs. Porter for cleaning schoolrooms,	1.00	
		40.00
A. F. Sanborn, cash paid for express on books,		4.73
C. W. Heselton, cleaning outhouses and grading around schoolhouse,		3.00
Clara A. Towle, cleaning schoolroom and repairing chair,		4.15
G. W. Robie, 5 M. shingles at $3.00,		15.00
Ginn & Co., books,	$39.20	
Am. Book Co., books,	72.32	
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	74.26	
E. E. Babb & Co.,	23.57	
		207.35
Sanborn Seminary, tuitions,	235.00	
Epping High school, tuitions,	81.00	
Robinson seminary, tuitions,	40.00	356.00
Charles A. Hoitt & Co., window shades,	5.25	
Charles A. Hoitt & Co., chairs,	3.50	
		8.75
Cook & True, supplies,		9.52
S. J. Willey, shingling schoolhouse,	10.87	
S. J. Willey, shingles and fitting wood,	1.50	
		12.37
Louis Gardner, labor and material on East schoolhouse,	11.45	
Louis Gardner, labor on primary schoolroom,	.50	11.95
R. E. Lane, order book,		.91

Paid	S. B. Gibson, repairing blackboards,		$1.00
	W. H. Gibson, postage,		.72
			$705.81
	Samuel J. Willey, salary, truant officer,	$15.00	
	Alden F. Sanborn, salary, member of school board,	10.00	
	Joseph B. Sanborn, salary, member school board,	10.00	
	James E. Taylor, salary, member of school board,	10.00	
	William H. Gibson, salary, treasurer,	5.00	
	Lena E. True, salary, clerk,	3.00	
			$53.00
			758.81
	Total expenditures		$2,301.31

JOSEPH B. SANBORN,
ALDEN F. SANBORN,
JAMES E. TAYLOR,
Board of Education.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Cash in hands of treasurer, February 15, 1912,	$27.04
Received from town treasurer, vote by law,	795.00
from town treasurer, vote of district,	400.00
high school tuitions,	500.00
literary fund, 1911,	87.12
dog licenses,	83.15
state fund,	280.10
salary of district school officers,	53.00
cash from A. F. Sanborn, books sold,	1.90
literary fund, 1912,	82.28
	$2,309.60
Paid orders from school board,	2,301.31
Cash in hand of treasurer,	$8.29

WILLIAM H. GIBSON,
Treasurer.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen of Fremont: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session, 1877, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual reports," I submit the following:

Births Registered in the Town of Fremont for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of birth.		Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Occupation of father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
			Sex.	Living or stillborn.	No. of child.					
Jan.	14	Catherine Emily Sargent	F.	L.	1	*Frank H. Sargent	Elizabeth Benjamin	Heel burnisher	Sandown	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Feb.	12	Philip Harry Witham	M.	L.	2	A. F. Witham	Lucy W. Emerson	Hoop maker	Epping	Atkinson.
Apr.	19	Oscar Melvin St. John	M.	L.	7	Frank St. John, Jr.	Esther Currier	Laborer	Manchester	Manchester.
June	30	Gladys Rose Gagnon	F.	L.	5	Eli J. Gagnon	Lena Lester	Mechanic	Canada	Canada.
Aug.	14	Richard Emery Kelley	M.	L.	1	Albert A. Kelley	Caroline K. Porter	Gluer for cooperage	Fremont	Fremont.
	27	Lenora Helen Rock	F.	L.	1	Fred Rock	Minnie A. York	Teamster	Brentwood	"
Sept.	15	Freddie Morin LeClair	M.	L.	4	George J. LeClair	Bertha E. Sargent	Overseer	Leominster, Mass.	Sandown.
	27	Florence Adelaide Kelso	F.	L.	1	†Fred Kelso	Carrie M. Gowan	Shoe foreman		Methuen, Mass.
	27	—— ——	F.	S.	2	†Fred Kelso	Carrie M. Gowan	"		"
	30	Elbridge Sylvester Young	M.	L.	1	George S. Young	Abbie M. West	Fireman	Bradford, Mass.	Fremont.
Oct.	18	Wallace Everett Porter	M.	L.	3	Willard E. Porter	Lillian B. Porter	Section hand	Plaistow	"
	22	Gerald Charles Towle	M.	L.	1	Charles W. Towle	Clara A. Willey	Cooper	Chester	Raymond.
Nov.	18	Alice May West	F.	L.	3	Charles F. West	Myrtie B. Willey	Barrel maker	Fremont	Fremont.
Dec.	31	George Curtis Spaulding	M.	L.	6	Josiah C. Spaulding	Laura Rue	Teamster	Raymond	Newcastle.

* Residence, Manchester. †Residence, Haverhill, Mass.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY A. COOK, *Town Clerk.*

Marriages Registered in the Town of Fremont for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Marriage.	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married.
Jan. 20	Epping	Charles W. Towle	Fremont	25	Cooper	Chester	William J. Towle	Chester	Blacksmith	1	Harry E. Little, Epping.
							Sarah J. Brown	Sandown	Housewife		
		Clara A. Willey	"	20	Teacher	Fremont	George F. Willey	Epping	Teamster	1	Clergyman.
							Rose Ann Gammon	Lawrence, Mass.	Housewife		
May 15	"	Lincoln H. Small	"	32	Laborer	"	Charles W. Small		Farmer	1	Edgar T. Pitts, Epping.
							Susan H. Small				
		Lucy Ellen Albert	Northwood	27	Housework	Northwood	Fremont Rollins	Northwood	Farmer	2	Clergyman.
							Sarah Ellen Merrill	Sharon, Vt.	Housewife		
Aug. 18	Fremont	Edmund LaVoie	Fremont	23	Mill hand	Nottingham	Etienne LaVoie	St. Paul, Can.		2	Joseph B. Sanborn, Fremont.
							Alphonsine Bouchard	"	Housekeeper		
		Myrtle L. Smith	"	16	Housework	Fremont	Charles H. Smith	Fremont	Mill hand	1	Justice of the Peace.
							Olive A. Small	Chester	Housewife		
31	"	Stephen D. West	"	36	Mill hand	"	Josiah West			2	JamesRowellHewitt, Fremont.
							Eliza S. Hartford				
		Clara E. Whittier	Lawrence, Mass.	24	Housework	Lawrence, Mass.	George A. Whittier			1	Minister of the Gospel.
							Helen C. Peaslee	Kingston	Housework		
Sept. 5	"	Percy C. West	Fremont	23	Cooper	Fremont	Charles E. West	Fremont	Cooper	1	Joseph B. Sanborn, Fremont.
							Minnie E. Goodwin	Boston, Mass.	Housewife		
		Alice M. Brown	Raymond	17	Shoeshop	"	John S. Brown	Epsom		1	Justice of the Peace.
							Sadie M. Bean	Fremont	Housework		
18	Nashua	Lyman S. Hooke	Fremont	21	Farmer	"	Lincoln F. Hooke	"		1	Rev. W. H. Morrison, Nashua.
							Nellie H. Simpson	Jamaica Plain, Mass.			
		Effie L. George	Danville	22	Housework	Sandown	Albert F. George	Sandown	Farmer	1	Clergyman.
							Minnie D. Griffin	Danville	Housewife		

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY A. COOK, *Town Clerk.*

Deaths Registered in the Town of Fremont for the Year Ending December 31, 1912.

Date of death.	Place of death.	Name and surname of of deceased.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Age. Days.	Place of birth.	Condition. Sex.	Condition. Sing., mar. or widow.	Occupation.	Place of birth. Father.	Place of birth. Mother.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
Feb. 15	Fremont	Jennie L. French	60	3	19	Raymond	F.	W.	Housekeeper.	Raymond	Ireland	Dudley Rowe	Mary A. Tresihan.
Apr. 13	"	Plumer D. Small	70	9	6	Lee	M.	M.	Sawyer	Northwood	Northwood	Josiah Small	Olive ——.
19	"	Hulda T. Sanborn	66	5	29	Fremont	F.	W.		Fremont	Fremont	Moses N. Sanborn	Syrena Tucker.
May 20	"	Sarah E. Yeaton	75		9	"	F.	W.	Housework	Epsom	"	John C. Trickey	Hannah Worthen.
June 11	"	Mabel A. Smith	39	3	3	"	F.	S.		Fremont	Kingston	Theodore B. Smith	Lorinda B. Bartlett.
Sept. 27	"	—— ——				"	F.	S.		Newmarket	Methuen, Mass.	Fred Kelso	Carrie M. Gowing.
Oct. 27	Concord	John F. Lyford	78	6	8	"	M.	W.	Farmer	Fremont	Epping	Henry Lyford	Dorothy Perkins.
Nov. 2	Fremont	George B. M. Jackson	48	1	5	Haverhill, Mass.	M.	M.	Sect. foreman	Paris, Me.	Baltimore, Md.	Jefferson F. Jackson	Mary Elizabeth Keys.
19	"	George H. Floyd	87	6	17	Exeter	M.	W.	Farmer	Exeter	Durham	Samuel Floyd	Mary Quimby.
Dec. 4	"	Lillian B. Porter	23	5	20	Fremont	F.	M.	Housewife	Epping	Nottingham	Charles A. Porter	Gertrude M. Davis.
Feb. 1	Hampstead	Caroline Kimball*	89	6	25	Raymond	F.	W.					
Dec. 14	Sandown	Charles E. Follett*	64	5	14	Fremont	M.	M.	Farmer	Gilford	Fremont	Charles W. Follett	Sophronia Norris.

* Brought to town for burial.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY A. COOK, *Town Clerk.*